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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of:

Mitchell et al.

Serial No.:

09/656,092

Filing Date:

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Group Art Unit:

2874

Examiner:

Knauss, Scott A.

Title:

Thermally Actuated Spectroscopic

Optical Switch

NOTIFICATION OF EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.1

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby takes an Extension of Time responding to the Office Action dated December 13, 2001 for one (1) month from March 13, 2002 to May 13, 2002.

First Month	\$ 55.00
X Second Month	\$ 200.00
Third Month	\$ 460.00
Fourth Month	\$ 720.00
Total:	\$ 200.00

A check in the amount of \$200.00 is attached. Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P. This sheet is transmitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

BAKER BOTTS L.L.P.

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